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Newport, July 9.

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THAT large and convenient Dwelling-House, corner of Thames-street and Washington-square, and now occupied by Capt. *Benjamin T. Coe.*—This is one of the best stands in Newport for a Grocery store and Boarding-House.—For terms, &c. apply to Daniel Vaughn, or to

SAMUEL VAUGHN.

Newport, July 29.

Notice.

THE Subscriber having been duly appointed by the Town-Council of Portsmouth, in the county of Newport, and State of Rhode-Island, Administrator upon the estate of

SAMUEL ELAM,

late of said Portsmouth, deceased, and having taken upon myself that trust by giving bond as the law directs, hereby request all persons having demands upon said estate, to present their accounts for payment.—And all persons indebted to said Estate are also requested to make immediate payment.

Wm. BOTCH, jun. *Administrator.*

New-Bedford, 1st mo. 31st, 1814.

WE the Subscribers having been appointed by the Hon. Court of Probate of the town of Newport, Commissioners to receive and examine the claims against the estate of John M. Mansfield, late of said Newport, deceased, represented insolvent, do hereby give notice, that six months from the date hereof are allowed to the creditors of said estate, to bring in and prove their respective claims, and that we shall attend for that purpose, at our respective dwellings at any time during said period.

STEPHEN CAHOONE. } *Com'rs.*
NATHANIEL SWEET. }

All persons indebted to said estate, are required to make immediate payment to

OLIVIA MANSFIELD, *Adm'x*

Newport, July 25, 1814

NEWPORT, ss.—*Clerk's Office, Supreme Judicial Court, July 26th*, 1814.

WHEREAS Maria Dowd of Newport, in the County of Newport, wife of Benjamin Dowd, mariner, has this day filed in said Office her petition praying for the reasons therein stated, that the bonds of matrimony between her and the said Benjamin may be dissolved and a decree of divorce pronounced.

This is therefore to give notice to the said Benjamin, and to all others whom it may concern, that they be and appear, if they think fit, before the Supreme Judicial Court to be holden at Newport, within and for the county of Newport, on the 4th Monday of August next, then and there to shew cause, if any they have, why the prayer of said petition should not be granted

GIDEON PALMER, *Clk.*

Cranston & Shaw,

Have for Sale at their Store

450 Hhds. rectifying MOLASSES
87 Hhds. Muscovado SUGAR
30 Tierces & 30 Hhds.
14 Hhds. Claret [illegible]
40 barrels Superfine
100 [illegible] do.
50 Boxes Tobacco.

Newport, June 10.

Silas Dean,

Has for sale, at his store, No. 87 Thames-street, and at his store on the Wharf, the following Goods:—

Blankets and blue Capadia Broadcloths; cassimeres; Marseilles vestings; fine cotton shirtings and cambricks; dimities, shawls, white threads, needles, bales blue India Goods, black silk velvets; fancy do. for vests, with a variety of other goods.

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Rum, Madeira Wine, Coffee, cordage, Flour, Salt, Nutmegs & Cloves

40 casks Rice.
100 barrels Boston bay Mackerel.
50 do. Shad—50 half barrels Do.
100 barrels Cod Oil.
40 do. Salmon—40 half bbls Do.
40 half-barrels Mackerel.
300 boxes smoaked Herring.
20 Hhds Lime
Anchors, cables and cambooses

Also, a Brig of 90 Tons, built of the best materials

Newport, April 23.

Molasses.

FIFTY Hogsheads best retailing MOLASSES, for sale by

RICHMOND & ROGERS.

Newport, July 30.

John B. Lyon,

Has for sale, at No. 6 Lyon's, and No. 6, Scott's Wharf,

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50 bbls. mess and 50 do. prime Beef
60 do. prime Pork;
200 do. in large barrels
50 pieces Russia Duck
75 do. Ravens do.

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Newport, March 17.

Laws of this State.

ROUSMANIERE & BARBER

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July 16, 1814.

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Arnatto
Copperas
Cochineal
Cream Tartar
Ground Brazill
Camwood
Nicaragua
Madder
Nutgalls
Oil Vitriol
Roman do.
Indigo
Verdigrease

Sugar Lead
Sal Amoniac
Roch Allum
Tumerick
Grain Tinn
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brushes
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and papers.

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Boston, June 21. 3m

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Oil Vitriol
Roman do.
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Sugar of Lead, and
Prussian Blue,

all American manufacture, and equal if not superior to any ever imported.—They are now offered for sale in large or small quantities at very reduced prices, by HALL & WELD,

No. 1, *Union street.*

Boston, June 21. 3m

Fire Insurance Office,

Providence, July 26th, 1814.

WHEREAS the Superintendant Committee of this Company, by their Treasurer, have obtained the sum insured from their Mutual Interest, in Policy No. 170, issued by the *Providence Mutual Fire Insurance Company*, the said property having been consumed by fire; Notice is hereby given to the Members of the said Fire Insurance Company, that for the purpose of paying the said loss, the Board of Directors have made an assessment of nine per cent. upon the original amount of the Deposite Notes in the funds of said Company, and the several Members thereof are hereby notified to pay their respective proportions of the said Assessment, *within Thirty Days from the Aforesaid date of July next ensuing, to the Treasurer, at the Office of the Company, in Providence*, at which place may be seen a list of the names of the Members, and of the amount of their respective assessments; for which purposes the office will be open daily from 9 to 12, A. M. and from 2 to 5 P. M. Sundays excepted

The following extract from the eighth article of the Constitution of the Company is published for the information of the Members:

"That the Board of Directors shall, with all convenient expedition, after receiving notice of any loss sustained, settle and determine the sum to be paid by the several Members of the Company, as their respective proportions of such loss, and publish the same in such manner as they shall think fit: Provided always, that the sum to be paid by each Member shall be in proportion to the original amount of his deposite note or notes. All which sums shall be paid into the hands of the Treasurer, within thirty days next after publication of the same as aforesaid; and in default of such payment, the party making such default shall forfeit double the said rates; and neglecting to pay the said forfeitures sixty days more, shall and may, by the Directors for the time being, be excluded and debarred; and shall lose all benefit and advantage of his, her or their insurance and insurances respectively, and all right to the stock of this Company; and shall, notwithstanding, be liable to the payment of the rates, pursuant to his, her or their covenants and engagements contained in these presents."

By order of the Board of Directors,

WILLIAM LARNED, *Secretary.*

N. B.—No payments can be received for this assessment, unless made in specie, or in bills depositable at the Banks in Providence.

Notice.

THE Subscriber being authorised by the Secretary of the *Providence Mutual Fire Insurance Company* to receive the assessment due from the Members of said Company in Newport, requests them to call on him, and pay their respective assessments within the time prescribed by the 8th Article of the Constitution of said Company.

BENJAMIN HADWEN.

Newport, 22d of 7th mo. 1814.

Oil.

A few Barrels of Summer and Winter strain'd OIL, for sale by

RHODES & CAHOONE.

Newport, July 29.

Plymouth Beach Lottery.

20,000 dlls.

HIGHEST PRIZE.

This lottery, which commenced drawing in Boston on the 13th of July is considered one of the best we have ever had in America; it has only 12000 Tickets, *Not two Blanks to a Prize*, and the highest prize is $ 20,000.

For Wholes, Halves and Quarters, *Apply at the OFFICE OF THE NEWPORT MERCURY.*

July 30, 1814.

AGRICULTURE.

FROM THE [illegible] GAZETTE AGRICULTURAL [illegible]

On [illegible] for the winter [illegible]

By A. Tyler, Corresponding Secretary, Communicated by the President, Mr. T. A. Knight, Jan. 6th, 1813.

WRITERS on agriculture, both in ancient and modern times, have dwelt much upon the advantages of collecting large quantities of vegetable matter to form manures; whilst scarcely anything has been written upon the state of decomposition, in which decaying vegetable substances can be employed most advantageously, to afford food to living plants. Both the farmer and gardener, till lately, thought that such manures ought not to be deposited in the soil till putrefaction had nearly destroyed all organic texture; and this opinion is perhaps, still entertained by a majority of gardeners; it is, however, wholly unfounded. Carnivorous animals, it is well known, receive their nutriment from the flesh of other animals, when they obtain it most nearly in the state in which it exists, as part of a living body; and the experiments I shall proceed to state, afford evidence of considerable weight, that many vegetable substances are best calculated to resume an organic living state, when they are least changed and decomposed by putrefaction.

I had been engaged, in the year 1810, in some experiments, from which I hoped to obtain new varieties of the *plum*; but one only of the blossoms upon which I had operated, escaped the excessive severity of the frost in the spring. The seed which this afforded, having been preserved in mould, during the winter, was in March placed in a small garden spot, which was nearly filled with [illegible] grasses, mixed with a small quantity of earth; and this was sufficiently covered with a layer of mould, which contained the roots only of grasses, to prevent in a great measure the growth of the plants which were buried. The pot, which contained about one sixteenth of a square foot of mould and living vegetable matter, was placed under glass, but without artificial heat, and the plant appeared above the soil in the end of April. It was three times during the summer removed into a larger pot, and each time supplied with the same matter to feed upon; and in the end of October its roots occupied about the space of one third of a square foot, its height above the surface of the mould being then *nine feet and seven inches*.

In the beginning of June a small piece of ground was planted with *potatoes* of an early variety, and in some rows green *fern*, and in others *nettles* were employed instead of other manure; and, subsequently, as the early *potatoes* were taken up for use, their tops were buried in rows in the same manner, and potatoes of the preceding year were placed upon them and covered in the usual way. The days being then long, the ground warm, and the decomposing green leaves and stems affording abundant moisture, the plants acquired their full growth in an unusually short time, and afforded an abundant produce; and the remaining part of the summer proved more than sufficient to manure potatoes of an early variety. The market gardener may probably employ the tops of his early *potatoes*, and other green vegetable substances in this way, with much advantage.

In the preceding experiments the *plum stone* was placed to vegetate in the turf of the alluvial soil of a meadow, and the *potatoes*, grew in ground, which, though not rich, was not poor; and therefore some objections may be made to the conclusions I am disposed to draw in favour of recent vegetable substances as manures.

The following experiment is, I think, decisive.

I received, from a neighbouring farmer, a field naturally barren, and so much exhausted by ill management, that the two preceding crops had not returned a quantity of corn equal to that which had been sowed upon it.—An adjoining plantation afforded me a large quantity of *fern*, which I proposed to employ as manure for a crop of turnips. This was cut between the tenth and twentieth of June, but as the small cotyledons of the *turnip seed* afford little to feed the young plant; and as the soil, owing to its extreme poverty, could not afford much nutriment, I thought it necessary to place the *fern* a few days in a heap, to ferment sufficiently to destroy life in it, and to pre-

[illegible] as conclusions of the former, and to [illegible] those experiments, confirming those I have stated to be sufficient to show that any given quantity of vegetable matter can generally be employed in a recent and organized state, with much more advantage than when it has been decomposed, and an inconsiderable part of its component parts has been [illegible] and lost, during the progress of the putrefactive fermentation.

CONTINUATION OF Foreign News.

ROYAL CORRESPONDENCE.

LETTER OF THE PRINCESS OF WALES TO THE PRINCE REGENT.

"SIR—I am once more reluctantly compelled to address your Royal Highness, for the purpose of requesting your inspection, copies of a Note which I have had the honor to receive from the Queen, and of the Answer which I have thought it my duty to return to her Majesty. It would be in vain for me to inquire into the reasons of the alarming declaration made by your Royal Highness, that you have taken the fixed and unalterable determination never to meet me, upon any occasion, either in public or private. Of these your Royal Highness is pleased to state yourself to be the only judge.—You will perceive, by my Answer to her Majesty, that I have only been restrained, by motives of personal consideration towards her Majesty, from exercising my right of appearing before her Majesty, at the public Drawing-Rooms, to be held in the ensuing month.

"But, Sir, lest it should be by possibility supposed, that the words of your Royal Highness can convey any insinuation from which I shrink, I am bound to demand of your Royal Highness—what circumstances, can justify the proceedings you have thus thought fit to adopt?

"I owe it to myself, to my Daughter, and to the Nation, to which I am deeply indebted for the vindication of my honour, to remind your Royal Highness of what you know; that after open persecution, and mysterious inquiries, upon undefined charges, the malice of my enemies fell entirely upon themselves; and that I was restored by the King, with the advice of his Ministers, to the full enjoyment of my rank in the Court, upon my complete acquittal.—Since his Majesty's lamented illness, I have demanded, in the face of Parliament, and the Country, to be proved guilty, or to be treated as innocent. I have been declared innocent.—I will not submit to be treated as guilty.

"Sir, your Royal Highness may possibly refuse to read this letter. But the world must know that I have written it; and they will see my real motives for foregoing, in this instance, the rights of my rank. Occasions, however, may arise, (one, I trust, is far distant,) when I must appear in public, and your Royal Highness must be present also.—Can your Royal Highness have contemplated the full extent of your declaration? Has your Royal Highness forgotten the approaching marriage of our daughter, and the possibility of our Coronation?

"I waive my rights, in a case where I am not absolutely bound to assert them, in order to relieve the Queen, as far as I can, from the painful situation in which she is placed by your Royal Highness; not from any consciousness of blame; not from any doubt of the existence of those rights, or of my own worthiness to enjoy them.

"Sir, the time you have selected for the proceeding, is calculated to make it

THE ANSWER.

The Minister Plenipotentiary of His Royal Highness the Prince of Orange, Sovereign of the United Provinces of the Low-Countries, to the Government of the United States of America.

To the Chairman and Gentlemen Committee of the city of Boston.

GENTLEMEN,

THE unanimous and affectionate expression of sentiments of gratitude which the inhabitants of Boston manifested gives me by their friendly congratulations

JOHN C. JONES,
JAMES LLOYD,
JOHN PHILLIPS,
SAMUEL DEXTER,
DANIEL SARGENT,
ARTEMAS WARD,
JOSEPH HALL.

Boston, Aug. 1, 1814.

Reception of the Lords Ministers.

On Saturday morning last, the Dutch ships of war Ajax, and the merchant ship Prince of Orange, in which upon passenger His Excellency M. Champagnon, Ambassador to this country from Holland, left Marblehead for the harbor of Boston, and anchored in Lynde Haven Channel about seven.

A meeting of the citizens took place at the Exchange Coffee House, for the purpose of making arrangements to receive the Ministers with suitable marks of respect. The committee who waited upon His Excellency to make known the intention of the citizens were received with great cordiality and politeness; and informed that he felt extremely gratified at the prompt attention shewn him, and stated that he would land at India-street wharf, on Monday morning at 11 o'clock. An escort was then formed consisting of the Boston Light Infantry, Independent Boston Fusiliers, Boston Rangers, Winslow Blues, Washington Infantry, and New-England Guards, with a procession of gentlemen on foot.

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From the Gazette de France.

BUONAPARTE'S JOURNEY.

At the Palace of La Tour, near Lyons, Buonaparte stopped three days. He then set out and got forward three posts on the road towards Grenoble at night.—The Comte de Bubna followed to observe him. He heard him say, "Ah Richard, Oh mon ret'auvere ridicule!" Richard, the Curate advanced, and even put himself before Buonaparte, in the idea that Buonaparte would seek to enter into conversation with him. This was in fact, the case. The night was very fine.

"You are a priest," said Buonaparte with an air sufficiently composing.

"Yes Sire, I am Curate of this place."

"Has your parish suffered?"

"A great deal, Sire, it has been despoyed by requisitions."

"Requisitions are the inevitable consequences of War. Make by Care," said he, then looking at the sky, "I see by your countenance that you know the names of the stars, but I have forgotten them. Do you know which is the star?" "I never," said he, "studied the stars, but I have often noticed that one

I have the honor to be,
Your very humble and
Obedient servant,
F. D. CHANGEUR.

Boston, the 2d August, 1814.

The Hon. James C. Jones, Esq.
Chairman of the Committee, &c. Boston.

August 3.

We were last evening politely favored with Montreal papers of July 30th containing Quebec accounts to the 28th—extracts follow:—

MONTREAL, JULY 30.—Accounts of the 23d inst., have been received from the army at Fort George. The American army threatens a show of their force before Fort George, but thought proper to retire without making an attack. General Riall was constantly receiving reinforcements, and General Drummond was momently expected there with a large force; from which it may be inferred, that before this, the American army have been compelled to retrace their steps. At any rate news of the first consequence from that quarter may be looked for daily.

It is also stated in these accounts that the American army have had just vengeance of the British forces by laying in ashes the houses of a number of the inhabitants of Queenston, and St. Davids.

QUEBEC, JULY 28.—We are still without any later news from Europe.

As far as we can judge from appearances, the British Government is fully determined not to make peace with the United States, till such terms can be obtained as will permanently secure the British interests in America against a recurrence of those ambitious designs which were evinced in their recent attempts to seize the Canadas and the Floridas.

A Montreal paper of the 23d ult. states the arrival in the St. Lawrence of 8 sail of the line, having on board 600 more troops from Duke Wellington's army; and that other troops were hourly expected from Ireland, England, and Nova Scotia.

KINGSTON, U. C. JULY 18.—The 6th and 82d regiments are on their way here, from Montreal, and the flank companies of the 104th, and De Watteville's regt. left Kingston for this place on their way to Fort George, on Saturday last, and the 89th also were under orders to march. We expect the first division to arrive this day or to-morrow.

Port of Quebec, July 23.—*Ar.* Ship Hydra Waygood, sailed 6th June from Bordeaux, to government, passengers, 15 officers and 453 men of the 98th regt.

July 25.—Ship Barron, Walther, sailed 6th June from Bordeaux, to government, passengers, 13 officers and 235 men of the 3d regiment of Buffs.

Ship Ocean, R. Cousit, from Bordeaux, sailed 6th June, to government—passengers, 15 officers and 205 men of the 5th regiment.

Ship Isabella, M. Harewood, from do to do.—passengers, 11 officers and 237 men of the 3d regiment.

His majesty's ship Ajax 74 is this day announced by the Telegraph, to be at the Brandy Pots. General Power with troops on board. The Warspite is off St. Roch.

August 5.

From Plattsburgh, July 29.

On Saturday last, two United States soldiers were shot at this cantonment, for desertion—one at Champlain, on Monday last, for the same offence.—Two or three others, we are informed, are also under sentence of death.

We are informed by a gentleman, direct from the lines, that a skirmish took place on Wednesday evening last in Odletown, between one of our piquet guards, and a party of the enemy, in which one of their Lieuts. was mortally wounded, and seven privates made prisoners; the remainder effected their escape—our informant makes no loss on our part.

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Liberty, property and sacred honor must.

A letter from Baltimore, to a gentleman in Philadelphia, gives the following description of some of the London pilfering, and, in [illegible], the bravest fighting heroes of that city:—To avoid militia duty, and escape from danger, it is an absolute fact, that several hundreds of foreigners, chiefly Irishmen, have *enlisted* themselves to the *marshal* as *aliens*, and received the certificate of that office, [illegible] arms against their [illegible] punished for treason! Among this number several old citizens of Baltimore are included, some of them men of property, who have been exercising their privilege of voting for fifteen years.

General Wilkinson.

The National Intelligencer of Saturday last announces a correspondence between the Secretary of War and General Wilkinson, relative to the [illegible] by General Wilkinson [illegible] "in relation to the movement into Lower Canada, and the [illegible] last." He says a paragraph which appeared in the Intelligencer, attributed to his report of the affair at La Colle Mill, was "obviously designed to tarnish his honor, to excite popular odium against him, and prepare the public mind for the favourable reception of the denunciations which will soon follow." The correspondence is between the Secretary at war and General Wilkinson.

Convention for the Exchange of Prisoners.

The convention entered into by Col Baynes, on the part of Gen. Prevost, and Gen. Winder on the part of President Madison, in April last, was fully and definitively ratified by Col. Lear, on the 16th ult. A supplementary clause has been added, by which the twenty-three British soldiers, and the forty-six American officers and non-commissioned officers, the hostages mentioned in the first article of the said convention, are declared to be included in that convention, and are to be released and exchanged in the same manner as other prisoners of war, mentioned in the said articles, notwithstanding the exception to them therein contained.—By this arrangement the whole business of the *Hostages*, is completely settled between the two countries.

An official order is published from the War Department, July 26, stating that all troops, regular and militia, captured by the British army in Canada, are exchanged and competent to serve against the enemy. The regulars are also required to join their respective corps without delay.

We understand, says the Washington City Gazette, an order has been issued by the War Department, to the general officers in the different states and territories, authorising them to furnish the militia of the state or territory in which they command, with arms, accoutrements, &c. when necessity shall require.

A great alarm exists in New-York city, and very extensive and efficient measures of defence have been made and are making.

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[illegible] JOHN L. [illegible]
JAMES B. [illegible], Esq'rs.

recommended to the Freemen of Rhode-Island, in the full confidence that they will receive a powerful and [illegible] support.

[illegible] *FROM CANADA.*

The Canadian [illegible] intelligence [illegible] last [illegible] received at this port [illegible] of Gen. Drummond [illegible] vessel by the [illegible] with Hostages [illegible] to this port [illegible], but they [illegible] previous [illegible] the Decree of [illegible] respecting the Corses, [illegible] formed under it, [illegible] at an end, [illegible] published in the Havanna papers of the 25th July, without comment.—The Governor of Havana had not officially announced the Decree to the people, but was empowered so to do it in a few days.—Considerable irritation was evinced at Havanna on the first receipt of the news of the new Constitution being rejected by Ferdinand, but nothing of a serious nature took place.—When the Christiana sailed, every thing was quiet in the Island.

On Wednesday last, a black man by the name of Charles Peach, was shot at Marblehead, by one of the sentries.—The particulars are, that he passed one sentry, and gave a direct answer; on passing another, he was hailed three times, and not answering, was ordered to stand, but proceeded, when the sentry discharged his piece and shot him through the body. He died in about four hours.

BY LAST EVENING'S MAIL.

FROM SALEM—Aug. 4.

Arrived this morning, cartel ship Mary, Saxter, 11 days from Halifax, with 104 prisoners, among whom are Capts. Treadwell, Loring and Rice, of Salem; Capt. Fellows, of the Rolla; the crew of the privateer Yorktown; part of the crew of the Thomas, of Portsmouth, and nine of the Chesapeake's crew, &c.

The Mary was boarded off Cape Sable by the Dragon, 74, from the Chesapeake, having on board a large number of Negroes, and some pieces of cannon, captured in the Chesapeake.

No troops had recently arrived at Halifax. Papers to the 23d July are received from Halifax.

Four transports from England to Quebec, with about 1400 troops, under convoy of the Leopard, had been lately cast away on an island in the St. Lawrence and about 400 were lost.

ALBANY, AUG. 1.

A gentleman from Sackett's Harbor,

Extract of a letter to the Editors, dated
Washington, July 30.

"I have just returned from the Capitol, where I have been to see the President, and to hear the debate on the bill for raising 9000 men. The President is in good health and spirits, and is determined to prosecute the war with vigor. He has just received a letter from Gen. Brown, dated at Buffalo, 25th inst. announcing the victory gained by our troops on the 25th, and that the enemy had retreated to Fort Erie. Gen. Brown was in pursuit of them, and expected to overtake them before they could get into the fort. Gen. Scott was wounded in the leg, and Gen. Ripley in the breast, but not dangerously. Gen. Porter, of the militia, had his horse shot under him. Col. Miller, of the 21st, was wounded in the thigh. Col. Gibson, of the staff, was killed. Col. Jesup, of the 25th, was wounded in the leg. Col. Leavenworth, of the 9th, was wounded in the thigh. Col. Nicholas, of the rifle corps, was wounded in the leg. Col. Wood, of the engineers, was wounded in the leg. Col. Campbell, of the 22d, was wounded in the leg. Col. Brady, of the 23d, was wounded in the leg. Col. Ripley, of the 11th, was wounded in the leg. Col. Miller, of the 21st, was wounded in the leg. Col. Gibson, of the staff, was killed. Col. Jesup, of the 25th, was wounded in the leg. Col. Leavenworth, of the 9th, was wounded in the thigh. Col. Nicholas, of the rifle corps, was wounded in the leg. Col. Wood, of the engineers, was wounded in the leg. Col. Campbell, of the 22d, was wounded in the leg. Col. Brady, of the 23d, was wounded in the leg. Col. Ripley, of the 11th, was wounded in the leg.

Extract of a letter to the Editors, dated
Washington, July 30.

"I have just returned from the Capitol, where I have been to see the President, and to hear the debate on the bill for raising 9000 men. The President is in good health and spirits, and is determined to prosecute the war with vigor. He has just received a letter from Gen. Brown, dated at Buffalo, 25th inst. announcing the victory gained by our troops on the 25th, and that the enemy had retreated to Fort Erie. Gen. Brown was in pursuit of them, and expected to overtake them before they could get into the fort. Gen. Scott was wounded in the leg, and Gen. Ripley in the breast, but not dangerously. Gen. Porter, of the militia, had his horse shot under him. Col. Miller, of the 21st, was wounded in the thigh

Print.

DESCRIPTION OF NIGHT;
By Addison's Spectator, No. [illegible]

HOW beautiful is Night!
A dewy freshness fills the silent air;
No mist obscures, nor cloud speckles the shining
Serenely full, the moon [illegible]
Pours her steady ray
And o'er the dark blue depths
Spreads her quivering light,
While [illegible]
Like the inward calmness, [illegible]
The sky.
How beautiful is Night!

Lake ERIE.

Impressed with the memorable achievement, two eminent Artists of Philadelphia were employed to go on the Lake Erie, to collect the materials engaged; to ascertain from the Officers not only the position of the vessels, and of our own, at the commencement of the engagement—but every change of position during its continuance, and every incident connected with the battle. An inspection of the original, with the information derived from the Officers, enabled the Artists to make the most accurate delineation of the whole engagement.

These DRAWINGS were in this Town on Monday last, and many of our citizens had the pleasure of viewing them.—They were examined by Com. PERRY, who pronounced the positions of the vessels, and the whole representation of the battle, minutely correct.

From the above Drawings, Two Prints are now Engraving, in the like manner, by Maverar, Fairman, and Tanner, &c. of Philadelphia.—The Engravings will be 24 by 18 inches.—Price to Subscribers $7 for each Print.—We are authorised to say, that neither gains nor expense will be spared to render these Prints as complete and gratifying to the lovers of the Arts.

With the contemplation of our Naval Victories [illegible] every American heart with lofty pride; we should cherish an honest gratitude towards the artists, who so faithfully commemorate them.

ROUSMANIERE & BARBER,
WILL continue to receive Subscriptions for the above PRINTS, for a few weeks longer.
July 25, 1814.

FOR SALE,
THE Ship RAPID, burthen 367 Tons, and the Ship WILLIAM & HENRY, burthen 304 tons.—Both Ships are well found, and have been sheathed with cedar boards, planed, and painted with verdigrease.—Apply to C. COOK, or
C. GYLES.
Newport, April 2.

Notice.

WHEREAS many Complaints have been made of the danger of excessive Riding through the Streets of Newport, by Servants and others.

It is Voted and Resolved, That the Act to prevent excessive Riding in any of the Streets of this Town, be published in both the Newspapers printed in this Town, and requesting all the good Citizens to use their endeavours in preventing a stop to such unlawful Riding, by putting the Law in force against such Offenders.

By Order of Council
JONATHAN ALNY, Council-Clerk.
Newport, July 1, 1814.

An Act to prevent Excessive Riding, &c.

SECTION 1.—Be it enacted by the General Assembly, and by the authority thereof it is enacted, That if any person shall ride faster than a common travelling pace, in any of the Streets of the town of Newport such person shall pay as a fine the sum of Two Dollars, for every offence; one half thereof to the Informer, and the other half to and for the use of the poor of the Town where such offence shall be committed, to be recovered upon complaint thereof made before any one Justice of the Peace in the town where the offence shall be committed, with costs, unless justifiable cause for such riding shall be made to appear before such Justice of the Peace, who shall try the same; which trial and judgment thereon shall be final.

NOTICE.

WHEREAS at the last term of the Supreme Judicial Court, held at South-Kingstown on the 4th Monday of April 1814 the undersigned were by the said Court appointed Commissioners or Assignees on the estate of JONATHAN POTTER, of said Westerly, who had obtained the benefit of an Act passed in June 1756, entitled, "An Act for the relief of insolvent debtors"—Notice is therefore hereby given to the creditors of said NATHAN POTTER, to exhibit and prove to us their respective claims against said estate, within nine months from the 25th day of April last, or they will be precluded according to law.—And that we will attend to receive the same at the house of Paul Rhodes, in said Westerly, on the 25th of August, 18th of September, and 18th of October next.

WILLIAM RHODES,
PELEG CROSS,
ISAAC CHAMPLIN,
Westerly, June 15, 1814.

Com'rs.

J. Vesey,

No. 79, Thames-street, PHILADELPHIA,
Having obtained an elegant and correct
Likeness of
ALEXANDER,
EMPEROR OF RUSSIA,

While they have put into the hands of Mr. Edwin, Engraver, to be copied in the best style, and hope in a few weeks to have the pleasure of presenting the Citizens of the United States, with a highly finished Portrait of that great Man.

Price in the Shape $4 50
Elegantly [illegible] 7 00
Philadelphia, March 18.

ROUSMANIERE & BARBER,
Will receive Subscriptions for the above, in Newport, for the above PRINT.
July 2, 1814.

Bowen, Ennis, & Co.

Offer for Sale, at their Store, in Stevans' Wharf,

A QUANTITY of Muscovado and Havana Dusk; St. Croix, good refining Molasses; Gin by the Pipe; old cable and new 9 inch Irons; Hemp; Anchors; cordage; [illegible] flour; brown sugar; coffee; codfish; dried herring in boxes; Liverpool salt; Virginia Tobacco: sheathing paper & Tar; Turpentine, &c. &c.
Newport, April 23.

William Crooke,

At his Brick Store, No. 12, Corner of Thames and Fullerton-street,
KEEPS CONSTANTLY FOR SALE
A General Assortment of first Quality GROCERIES, at Wholesale and Retail.

SNUFF and FAMILY STORE put up in the neatest manner, and at the shortest notice.

☞ Articles to answer all recommended.
Newport, Nov. 20.

Richmond & Rogers

Have for sale at Store, No. 134, Thames-street,
20,000 wt. COFFEE, entitled to debenture.
80 Hhds. MOLASSES.
3 Pipes & hhds. Country GIN
2 do. 4th proof Cognac Brandy.
26 Quarucks L. P. Madeira Wine.
2 half-pipes do Do
5 baskets sweet Oil
Cash liberally advanced on Goods consigned for public or private sale.
Newport, June 17.

William White,

Has for sale, at No. 11, Long-Wharf
3 Hhds. first quality Rum
2 Pipes do, Gin.
3 do. Malaga Wine
1 do. Lisbon do.
20 hhds. Muscovado Sugar
3 chests hyson-skin Tea
1 do. souchong do
10 qr-chests Bohea do
20 sacks cassia.
9 bags cocoa—6 do. Pepper
3 boxes Spanish Segars
5 do. playing Cards
10 do. candles—5 do. soap
33 kegs butter—2000 wt. cheese
Also, A general assortment of Groceries as usual.
Newport, Nov. 4.

NOTICE.

THE Subscriber having been duly appointed Executor to the last Will and Testament of
JAMES CAHOONE,
late of Newport, deceased, and having taken upon himself that trust, by giving bonds as the law directs, hereby requests all persons having demands upon said estate, to present them for settlement, and all persons indebted to said estate, are requested to make immediate payment.

S. CAHOONE, *Executor.*
Newport, March 10.

CRANSTON & SHAW,

Offer at Private Sale on reasonable terms, at their store,
ONE Hundred Barrels superfine FLOUR.
400 barrels Cabin Bread.
100 do Pilot Do.
30 Hhds. very nice Rum.
6 Pipes 4th proof Brandy.
57 boxes brown Sugar
34 Hogsheads Molasses
28 bbls Mess & 34 do. prime Beef.
18 do. cargo No. 1 Do.
22 do. Refuse Do.
60 boxes chocolate—22 do. candles
47 do. Soap—14 do. sweet Oil.
Newport, Nov 4.

WANTED,

A White GIRL, of 12 or 14 years of age to assist in taking care of Children.—Enquire at this Office.
April 30, 1814.

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[illegible] Cargo of the ship [illegible] from Bordeaux. Bound to Boston or Newport. Enquire of Peter's Wharf.

FOR SALE,
A GREAT and very extensive assortment of DRUGS and DYE-STUFFS, including many scarce and valuable articles, which have lately been purchased [illegible] part of which are now landing, viz:

[illegible] gallons of Alcohol
[illegible] pounds of Balm, Gilead
Cantharides
100 Camphor
Peruvian Bark
100 Senna
200 Cream Tartar
150 Oil of Lavender
50 Oil of Peppermint
50 Oil of Mint
800 bottles of Castor Oil
3000 pounds of Red Saunders
500 Oil of Vitriol
400 Blue Vitriol
150 Quicksilver
80 [illegible] of Gamboge
400 [illegible] of Assafœtida
250 Alkanet
1500 Olive Soap
100 Aquavitæ, best English, A scarce and valuable article for Gold-smiths, Bleachers, &c.
Orpiment, Calomel
250 Liquorice Ball
Soda Petre
400 Gum Shellack
Venice Turpentine
Old Castile Soap
20 dozen of Rigs Balsam
300 pounds of Burgundy Pitch
1000 Lump Magnesia

☞ Druggists can be supplied with Magnesia in any quantity, from me, as Agent for the sale in Providence.

500 pounds Philadelphia starch
1000 Gum Arabick
80 gross of Vials, assorted
100 pounds of Rhubarb
100 Columbo Root
50 Ether
300 gallons of sweet Oil
300 gross of bottle Corks
100 pounds of snuff—Rose
500 Orange Peel
100 Sarsaparilla, Spanish
300 dozen of Windsor Soap
1000 pounds of Emery, from No. 1 to No. 8, inclusive, warranted of the first quality English, and well worth the attention of Agents of Factories, of Jewellers and Button-makers.
10 Tons of Logwood
1 ground Camwood
10 Fustick
5 Nicaragua Wood
3 Copperas
1 Pearl Ashes, &c. &c. &c.

Physicians from the country, and others, as Agents of Factories, who are desirous of purchasing the above articles on the most liberal terms, are invited to call, when they may rest assured that great bargains shall be given them, either in Drugs or Dye-Stuffs, on the most extensive credit.

Medicine Chests, with appropriate printed directions, for long or short voyages, ready for sale. Physician and Family Prescriptions put up with accuracy and despatch, when required.
Providence, June 8. 3m

Co-partnership Formed.

THE public are respectfully informed, that the subscribers have entered into Co-partnership, under the firm of
DYER & POTTER,
And tender their services as *Auction & Commission Merchants*, from and after this date, and will occupy the store of said Dyer, in Market-street, assuring their friends and the public, that all business confided to them, will at all times have their best attention. Cash will be liberally advanced, on all kinds of merchandize deposited for public or private sale, and all sales made will be guaranteed and discounted on the most accommodating terms.

ELISHA DYER,
CHARLES POTTER.

DYER & POTTER *offer at private sale*
10,000 pounds of best green Coffee, in bags and tierces
3 pipes 4th proof Brandy, Expedition's cargo.
70 boxes spermaceti Candles
5 tons Logwood—8 do. Fustick
2 do Nicaragua wood
2 do first quality clean Hemp
1 do Copperas
A few boxes of white Havanna Sugars
30 bags of Pepper
10 boxes brown Sugar
60 bales Calcutta Twine
Providence, Oct. 11.

G. W. Martin,

Has for Sale, at No. 52, Long-Wharf,
296 Hhds. retailing MOLASSES.
50 Boxes brown SUGAR.
32 casks Rice.
10 Hhds. Cloves,
Cash liberally advanced for Goods for public or private sale.
Newport, March 28.

Wheelwright & Lopez,

Have just received, and for Sale,
3000 bushels RYE.
250 barrels Philadelphia Superfine FLOUR.
150 Bushels yellow CORN.
Newport, July 18.

Wheelwright & Lopez

Offer at private sale, at their Store, No. 23, Thames-street.
100 Boxes Havana brown SUGAR.
40 Hhds. & 70 Bbls. Muscovado Do.
40,000 wt. COFFEE entitled to double debenture.
100 Hhds. refining MOLASSES
18 Pipes GIN, 4th proof.
400 bbls. Rum—90 do. Pork.
50 barrels Mackerell
50 bbls Turpentine. Turpentine
20 pipes [illegible] Duck
[illegible] BALLT
[illegible]
Newport, April 9.

20,000 dlls.

HIGHEST PRIZE.

Four Days.

And then—the Wheels of the *Grand Pawtuxet Bridge* LOTTERY will begin to move.—The first drawn Ticket entitled to Two Thousand Dollars.

Orders for Tickets and Shares in the above Lottery will be received at
JOSIAH C. SHAW's
Truly Fortunate Lottery-Office, No. 114, Thames-street.

Who can furnish his friends during the whole time of Drawing, with guaranteed undrawn Tickets, at the Boston prices.
Newport, July 9.

Paper-Hangings,
Stationary and School-Books,

FOR SALE, AT
JAMES HAMMOND'S
CIRCULATING LIBRARY, AND DRY GOODS STORE,
No. 104, Thames-Street.
Newport, April 9. tf.

New-York Ale.

FIFTEEN Barrels New York Ale just received and for sale by
GEORGE ENGS,
No. 170, Thames-street.
Newport, July 1.

S. T. Northam,

Has just received, and for Sale,
By the Brigs Neciesidad and Maria,
450 Hogsheads new crop MOLASSES
22 do. GreenCOFFEE.
50 Barrels brown SUGAR.
100 Boxes Ditto
6 Tons Logwood.
Newport, March 10.

Daniel Sheldon,

Respectfully informs his Friends and the Public,
THAT he has taken that large and convenient Fire-Proof STORE, No. 2, Market-square, where he will at all times be ready to receive Goods on Commission, for public or private sale.—The utmost attention will be paid to the interests of those who may think proper to employ him
May 7, 1814.

HOUSE TO LET.

Will be LEASED for One or more Years
THAT convenient and central stand, late occupied by Capt. B. ELDRED in Mill-street, near the Red Market.—It is very commodious for private Boarding, or for a house of public Entertainment; a part of which is also calculated for a Grocery store. Terms may be known by application to
CRANSTON & SHAW.
Newport, July 8.

WE the Subscribers having been appointed by the Hon. Court of Probate of the town of Newport, Commissioners to receive and examine the claims against the estate of DAVID HUNTINGTON, late of Newport, deceased, represented insolvent, give notice, that six months longer from the date hereof are allowed to the creditors to bring in and prove their claims; and that we shall attend for that purpose, at our respective dwellings at any time during said period.

JONATHAN BOWEN,
JOB TOWNSEND, } Com'rs.

All persons indebted to said estate, are requested to make immediate payment to
ELISABETH HUNTINGTON, *Exec'x.*
DAVID WILLIAMS *Executor.*
Newport, 5th of 7th mo. 1814.

NEW WORKS.

ROUSMANIERE & BARBER,
Have just received,
A which the common impropriety in Reading and Speaking are detected, and the true standard of elegant pronunciation are pointed out, with a copious analysis of the vowels, showing their specific combinations, and how they may be applied to different species of composition, and the several figures of rhetoric.—To which are added, rules of composition, or plain rules for writing Orations and speaking them in public.—By John Walker, Author of the Critical Pronouncing Dictionary, &c.—1 vol. 8vo.

THE Defence of Brigadier General W. HULL, delivered before a General Court-Martial at Albany, on the 25th of January, 1814, in ADDRESS to the citizens of the United States.—Written by himself. To which is prefixed the charges against the General, as exhibited by the Governor.

THE WANDERER; or, Female Difficulties.—By Madame D'Arblay (late Miss Burney) Author of Evelina, Cecilia, and Camilla.—In 3 vols.

CASTLE RACKRENT, an Hibernian Tale.—Taken from facts, and from the manners of the Irish Squires, before the year 1782.—By Maria Edgeworth, Author of Practical Education, &c.—1 vol.

Also, just received,
A further supply of GOETZ of BERLICHINGEN, translated from the German, by *Walter Scott.*
Also—the "CORSAIR" by Lord *Byron*, price 50 cents.

Stationary and School Books,

Of every description, furnished (wholesale and retail,) by R. & S. R. on the usual moderate prices.

ROUSMANIERE & BARBER,
Have on hand, as usual,
An extensive Assortment of BOOKS in the various departments of Literature which will be sold, wholesale and retail as low as at any Book-Store in America.

The NEW PUBLICATIONS of merit are regularly received and for sale as above.

Gentlemen of the Law, and others, will be furnished at short notice, with any Book they may want.
July 2, 1814.

Jones & Rathbone,

Have for Sale,
500 Boxes Candles.
300 do. Soap
250 barrels Superfine Flour
10 Tons Archangel Hemp
850 Hhds. retailing Molasses
162 Boxes Havanna brown Sugar
65 Hhds. West-India Rum
200 bags debenture Coffee.

They respectfully offer their services as Auctioneers and Commission Merchants, and refer for information respecting their establishment, to Messrs. John G. & Samuel Whitehorne, of Newport.
Providence, April 22.

Soda Water Establishment

Noel Pelecan,

HAS the pleasure of announcing to the Ladies and Gentlemen of the Town of Newport and its vicinity, that they may be constantly supplied at his Store, No. 104, Thames-Street, Newport, with the first quality SODA WATER, commencing on Saturday, the 11th instant, manufactured by Mr. Joseph Cabb, upon the most correct chemical principles. The beneficial effects of this salubrious Water, have, for the last two years greatly augmented the demand for it; which at the same time through want of care, and proper attention, and a variety of circumstances, its value has been depreciating in this town. The experience of mankind has long established the extensive utility of SODA WATER. The Proprietor having the most convenient accommodation for Ladies and Gentlemen, he flatters himself that he shall receive a due share of public support, to enable him to prosecute, with success, his establishment.

This pungent and acidulated Water has been directed by Medical men, and is well known to produce desirable effects, in many common and troublesome complaints, it is a complete remedy against sourness of the stomach, commonly called heart burns, and in cases of indigestion and weakness of the stomach, it is found very useful, gradually restoring the appetite and with it the tone of the organs; it is a preventative of many of the diseases of the stomach and bowels, which proceed from acidity; and for the same reason it in most cases removes or prevents the sick head-ache; it has proved advantageous in the gout, as those who have taken the Water for the gravel, have been cured of both diseases, by means of Soda.—It may be taken to the quantity of a pint, or more daily, at three stated periods, morning, noon, and night, one hour previously to the several meals of the day. In addition to its Medical qualities, it is a very refreshing and grateful drink, especially after heat and fatigue, and may be made a complete substitute for beverage of a deliterious nature; with Wines and Sugar, it is very grateful.

Newport, June 8.